

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Hartwig Preckel
Serial No.: 10/542,437
For: METHOD FOR FILLING SAMPLE CARRIERS
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

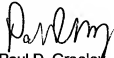
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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for extension of time for a total period of three (3) months. Based on the extension requested, the extended period for response will expire on February 17, 2011

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$1,110.00 and any fees or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0467.

Respectfully submitted,



Date: February 14, 2011

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